

2021-22 Women In Technical Careers (WITC) Scholarship Application

Women in Technical Careers (WITC) is a scholarship program designed to help women students succeed in a technical degree program at Dunwoody College of Technology and launch into a great career.

Scholarship Information & Eligibility

Dunwoody's WITC scholarship includes:

- A scholarship of up to \$10,000/year for two years
- A child care stipend of up to \$1,500/year (if eligible)
- Formal mentoring by women professionals from the same industry
- A cohort experience, including monthly professional development workshops
- One-on-one advising and a summer orientation exclusively for women in the cohort

In order to be considered for WITC, you must:

- Self-identify as a woman or non-binary individual
- Be enrolled in a Dunwoody Automotive, Computer Technology, Construction Sciences & Building Technology*, Robotics & Manufacturing, or Engineering program for the Fall 2021 semester

*Students in Dunwoody's Interior Design program are not eligible for the WITC Scholarship.

- Be able to demonstrate a high financial need

Scholarship Application Checklist

Please complete and submit the following items by **May 3, 2021**, in order to be considered for the WITC scholarship:

- WITC scholarship application
- One page, typed essay
- A letter of recommendation
- Application and acceptance to Dunwoody College
- Interview with the Associate Director of Women's Initiatives
- Your high school and college transcripts (submitted to the Admissions Department)
- FAFSA for student aid (submitted to the Financial Aid Department)

Submission

Please send your completed application and related materials by mail or email to:

Maggie Whitman, Associate Director of Women's Initiatives
Dunwoody College of Technology
818 Dunwoody Blvd.
Minneapolis, MN 55403

witc@dunwoody.edu | 612.381.3362

Or fill out this form electronically at: [dunwoody.edu/witc](https://www.dunwoody.edu/witc)

Applicant Information

Full Name:			
Current Address:			
Phone Number(s):			
Email:			
Birth Date (mm/dd/yyyy):		Gender:	(Non-binary individuals are encouraged to apply)
Ethnicity/Race: <small>(The following information is needed for reporting to our grant funders. Please check all that apply.)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latina <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American <input type="checkbox"/> White	
Number of Dependent Children:		Are you a single parent?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Household Size: <small>(Please include yourself, your spouse, and all dependents)</small>			
Are you currently employed?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If so, how many hours per week do you work?	
What is your hourly wage?			
How did you hear about this scholarship program?			

Education History

Highest Level of Education Achieved:	<input type="checkbox"/> GED <input type="checkbox"/> High School Degree <input type="checkbox"/> Some College	<input type="checkbox"/> Associate's Degree <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's Degree <input type="checkbox"/> Master's Degree
How long has it been since you last attended an educational institution?		
What is the name of that institution?		

Along with your application, please submit a letter of recommendation and a one-page, typed essay that describes:

- Why you are interested in the Dunwoody program you have chosen
- Personal characteristics that will help you be successful at Dunwoody College

Prior to May 1, you should also: submit your high school transcripts; submit your Dunwoody application; complete your FAFSA; and complete your interview with the Director of Women's Initiatives.

Agreement and Signature

By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I also understand that if selected to receive the WITC Scholarship, I will be required to participate in scholarship activities and programs.

Signature:		Date:	
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